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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

GOLDEN STATE FREEWAY (I-5) NEAR PYRAMID LAKE – LANE CLOSURES FOR STORM-RELATED PAVEMENT REPAIRS, 4-19

Near Pyramid Lake – The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will perform the following lane closures on northbound I-5 near Pyramid Lake, north of Castaic, for a distance of approximately two miles, on Wednesday, April 19 in order to perform storm-related pavement repairs -- as follows:

- 3 a.m. to 11 a.m. Three lanes of northbound I-5 from Vista Del Lago to Smokey Bear Road
- 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Two lanes of northbound I-5 from Vista Del Lago to Smokey Bear Road

Delays of up to 30 minutes may be experienced.

This closure is weather permitting and subject to change. Signs will be posted to assist motorists.

Caltrans reminds motorists that traffic fines are doubled in freeway work zones, and to please *SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE*.

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